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<b>10/701,029</b>	<b>Eleni A. Shiferaw</b>
Applicant:	Art Unit:
<b>Brian Grove et al.</b>	<b>2136</b>
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Title:	<b>SECURE AUTHENTICATION USING HARDWARE TOKEN AND COMPUTER FINGERPRINT</b>

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Office Action mailed on August 3, 2009 in the above-referenced application. This Reply is being filed within the three-month-shortened statutory period for response set in the Action. No fee should be due for entry of this Reply. However, if any fee is determined to be due, please charge the correct fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows:

**ELECTRONICALLY FILED ON OCTOBER 22, 2009**